Amendments to the Claims

1. (Currently Amended) ~~A black~~ An anhydrous black gravure ink solution comprising at least one polymeric colorant toner component exhibiting a λ_{max} absorption measurement between about 550 and 610 nm and comprising a nonionic chromophore component, wherein said at least one polymeric colorant toner component comprises polyoxyalkylene chains thereon and wherein said polyoxyalkylene chains comprise at least a majority of C_3 or higher alkylene oxide monomers, the ink solution further comprising at least one black coloring component in addition to said at least one polymeric colorant toner component, wherein said at least one black coloring component is selected from the group consisting of at least one black pigment, at least one black dyestuff, and a mixture of both, the ink solution further comprising at least one solvent, and the ink solution further comprising at least one resin component.

2. (Currently Amended): ~~The black gravure ink solution of claim 1~~ An anhydrous black gravure ink solution comprising at least one polymeric colorant toner component comprising a nonionic chromophore component, wherein said at least one polymeric colorant toner component comprises polyoxyalkylene chains thereon and wherein said polyoxyalkylene chains comprise at least a majority of C_3 or higher alkylene oxide monomers, the ink solution further comprising at least one black coloring component in addition to said at least one polymeric colorant toner component, wherein said at least one black coloring component comprises carbon black, the ink solution further comprising at least

one solvent, and the ink solution further comprising at least one resin component wherein said solvent is toluene and said polymeric colorant toner component exhibits a λ_{max} absorption measurement between about 560 and 580 nm.

3. (Cancelled)

4. (Cancelled)

5. (Currently Amended) ~~The black gravure ink solution of Claim 4~~ An anhydrous black gravure ink solution comprising at least one polymeric colorant toner component exhibiting a λ_{max} absorption measurement between about 550 and 610 nm and comprising a nonionic chromophore component, wherein said at least one polymeric colorant toner component comprises polyoxyalkylene chains thereon and wherein said polyoxyalkylene chains comprise at least a majority of C_3 or higher alkylene oxide monomers, the ink solution further comprising at least one black coloring component in addition to said at least one polymeric colorant toner component, wherein said at least one black coloring component is selected from the group consisting of at least one black pigment, at least one black dyestuff, and a mixture of both, the ink solution further comprising at least one solvent, and the ink solution further comprising at least one resin component wherein said polyoxyalkylene chains comprise a combination of ethylene oxide monomers and C_3 or higher alkylene oxide monomers in a ratio of from about 1:1.4 to about 1:4.

6. (Original) The black gravure ink solution of Claim 5 wherein said C_3 or higher alkylene oxide monomer is propylene oxide.

7. (Cancelled)

8. (Canceled)

9. (Currently Amended) The black gravure ink solution of ~~Claim 8~~ claim 2 wherein said polyoxyalkylene chains comprise a combination of ethylene oxide monomers and C_3 or higher alkylene oxide monomers in a ratio of from about 1:1.4 to about 1:4.

10. (Original) The black gravure ink solution of Claim 9 wherein said C_3 or higher alkylene oxide monomer is propylene oxide.